

# IEEE R3 Melbourne Section Report

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- **Issues requiring action by the Region 3 Committee or ExCom**
  - None
- **Success/Opportunities for Engaging the Member, Volunteer, Non-Member, Public**
  - Our Section is working closely with the Canaveral Section to maximize our meetings and events. Thus far in 2024, we cooperated in all events that have been held
  - Our Section meetings are currently scheduled for odd months, on the second Wednesday of the month with possible exceptions, Hurricanes
  - Our next section meeting is scheduled for July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024 which includes a Magic Show
- **Notable Section Activities (Positive and Negative)**
  - We continue to participate and share with as many Area3 Florida sections as possible. Whenever virtual events are promoted by other Area3 sections, we distribute the invitations to our membership so that they have the option to attend as well
  - Plans are in the works to schedule a FALL2024 local conference on AMERICAS TECHNOLOGICAL INTEGRITY and present speakers who specialize in keeping America safe through technological safeguards in diverse fields. The Melbourne and Canaveral Sections are seeking funding in order to make this national security conference a multiregional conference with Mexico and Canada's participation so as to increase the impact and importance of our nation's future
    - Update: Minimal funding has been received but only enough to fund only a local conference. Our hopes were to elevate this key issue to Regions 6 and 9 and initiate interest and awareness throughout North America ( USA/Mexico/Canada) but unfortunately this message did not get through

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